OGDEN RIVER HIGHLIGHTS

DELIVERY OF WATER ON THE OGDEN RIVER WAS ACCOMPLISHED WITH THE HELP OF TWO DEPUTIES MIKE SCOTT AND LEE ANDERSEN.

WITH THE GOOD SNOWPACK IN 1997 HIGH WATER RUNOFF HELD UP LATER THAN USUAL DURING THE SUMMER. STORAGE FROM PINE VIEW RESERVOIR WAS NOT NEEDED UNTIL JUNE 25. LOWER RIVER RIGHTS WERE CUT TO LOW ON JLUY 1 WITH 1870 RIGHTS BEING CUT OFF JULY 14. 1867 RIGHTS WERE CUT OFF AUGUST 1.

IDEAL SNOWMELT CONDITIONS AND GOOD WATER MANAGEMENT RELEASES BY WEBER BASIN PREVENTED ANY FLOODING BELOW PINE VIEW DAM.

SNOWPACK CONDITIONS AT THE PRESENT TIME ARE MUCH BELOW NORMAL ALTHOUGH THERE IS ENOUGH TIME TO COLLECT ENOUGH SNOW TO MAKE A ADIQUATE DELIVERY SEASON.

AS OF JANUARY 10, 1998, STORAGE CREDITS ON THE OGDEN RIVER ARE AS FOLLOWS:

CAUSEY (RESERVOIR FULL)

6,870 AF--WEBER BASIN

PINE VIEW

52,000 AF 14,876 AF--PINE VIEW 37,124 AF--WEBER BASIN

PINE VIEW IS IN THE PROCESS OF SELLING BACK TO U. P. & L. COMPANY 15,000 AF OF WATER TO RECOVER SOME OF THE MONEY THEY SPENT IN PREVIOUS YEARS BUYING WATER TO FILL THE RESERVOIR.